

38533. HOLCUS SORGHUM L. Poaceæ. Sorghum.
(Sorghum vulgare Pers.)

From Victoria, Kamerun, German West Africa. Presented by the director of the experiment station. Received June 1, 1914.

Gabli killiröm. Sown in the rainy season. Seed from the Mora residency in the German lands near Lake Chad.

38534 to 38536.

From Marionofka, Seytler, Crimea, Russia. Procured by Mr. E. Brown, of the Bureau of Plant Industry, from Mr. Christian Fey. Received June 3, 1914.

38534. TRITICUM AESTIVUM L. Poaceæ. Wheat.
(Triticum vulgare Vill.)

"Semihard winter wheat." (*C. R. Ball.*)

38535 and 38536. HORDEUM spp. Poaceæ. Barley.

38535. HORDEUM DISTICHON NUTANS Schubl.

Two-rowed barley.

38536. HORDEUM VULGARE L.

Six-rowed barley.

38537. CHRYSANTHEMUM sp. Asteraceæ.

From Liverpool, England. Presented by Joseph Gardner & Sons. Received June 6, 1914.

Sample of Asiatic pyrethrum.

38538. PTYCHOSPERMA GRACILIS Labill. Phœnicaceæ. Palm.

From Belize, British Honduras. Procured by Mr. O. F. Cook, of the Bureau of Plant Industry, from the Belize Botanical Station. Received June 12, 1914.

"No. 1. Small species. April 19, 1914. A cespitose pinnate-leaved palm 12 to 15 feet high, growing in the Belize Botanic Garden about 10 miles from the mouth of the Belize River. Probably suitable for cultivation in Florida and California. The pinnæ are broader than those of *Seaforthia elegans*, and more broadly truncate at the ends. The inflorescence has simple branches covered with a rusty tomentum." (*Cook.*)

38539 and 38540. SEAFORTHIA ELEGANS R. Brown. Phœnicaceæ. Palm.
(Ptychosperma elegans Blume.)

From Livingston, Department of Izabal, Guatemala. Collected by Mr. O. F. Cook, of the Bureau of Plant Industry. Received June 12, 1914. Quoted notes by Mr. Cook.

38539. "No. 2. Large fruit. April 21, 1914. From a tree with larger seeds than No. 3 [S. P. I. No. 38540].

38540. "No. 3. Small-fruited form. A small palm, 10 to 15 feet high; trunk 4 inches thick, bearing large clusters of coral-red fruits about the size of thorn-apples (*Crataegus*) and having exactly the same taste."